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SMALL MINING OPERATIONS PROGRESS REPORT
January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2010

The information required in this form are based on provisions of the Mined Land Reclamation Act, Title 40-8, and the rules as under the Utah Minerals Regulatory Program.

1. Mine Permit Number: S/001/0077
2. Mine Name: Mary I Breccia Pipe
3. Name of Operator/Permittee: Western Utah Copper Company

Note: If Operator's address, company representative or phone number have changed, please provide a replacement page for the Notice of Intention together with form MR-REV available on the Division's web page at https://fs.ogm.utah.gov/pub/MINES/Minerals_Related/FORMS/MR-REV-SMO_EXP.pdf.

4. Report the gross amount of ore mined and waste moved.

Gross Ore Mined 1,000 Tons, or yd³
Waste Material Moved 150 Tons, or yd³ Topsoil

5. Disturbance at the end of 2009 0 Acres
New Disturbance Created during 2010 3.22 Acres
Area Reclaimed and Fully Released during 2010 3.22 Acres
Total Disturbed Area at the end of 2010 -0- Acres*
Permitted/Bonded Acreage -0- Acres

*The total disturbed area should not be greater than the permitted/bonded acreage.

6. Briefly describe the reclamation work performed during the past year. A map showing reclaimed areas and dates is suggested.

The disturbed area was reclaimed by filling the disturbed area with available waste rock, contoured and covered with available topsoil. The area has been reseeded fall of 2010. See Tom Munsons Inspection report dated 6-21-10.

I hereby certify, under penalties of law, the information provided in this report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name (Typed or Print): Ronald J. Wunderlich
Title of Operator: VP over Land, Water and Environmental
Signature of Operator: *R. Wunderlich*
Date: January 21, 2011



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
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JOHN R. BAZA
Division Director

Internal
S/001/0077

Inspection Report Minerals Regulatory Program June 21, 2010

Reviewed: 

Mine Name: Mary I Breccia Pipe	Permit Number: S/001/0077
Operator Name: Western Utah Copper Company	Inspection Date: 06/21/2010
Inspector(s): Brett Gregory for Tom Munson 	Time: 4:30 pm
Other Participants: Ed Ginouves (BLM) & Dave Hartshorn (Senior Geologist)	Mine Status: Proposed

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Water Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Revegetation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Permit Fee: Current

Bond Amount: \$0

Purpose of Inspection: The department has no record of ever having inspected this particular site.

Inspection Summary:

The mine exists on private property southeast of the company's main processing facility. The mining operation is currently inactive and no equipment was found on site. The size of the disturbance is relatively small and should be reclaimed immediately for not having a valid mining permit. The total disturbance measured by GPS is approximately 3.22 acres. No topsoil or plant growth was observed within the mining disturbance. My evaluation comments are as follows:

- 1) The mining permit was not approved due to lacking the reclamation bond requirement. Rule R647-3-101 for filing Small Mining Operations (Form MR-SMO) requests the form and amount of reclamation surety be approved or disapproved by the Division prior to commencement of mining operations. The surety amount determined to reclaim the four new acres of disturbance is \$20,600. The operator should promptly contact the Division to post a bond and to avoid incurring penalties and enforcement action for not having posted the required surety.
- 7) The excavated pit seen in the attached photographs should be reclaimed to a stable configuration suitable to sustain revegetation efforts.
- 10) A seed mix recommendation is attached to this inspection report. It is suggested the seed tags be saved for confirmation of the sites revegetation.
- 12) Photographs and a GPS map are attached showing the full extent of the disturbance made.



Conclusions and Recommendations:

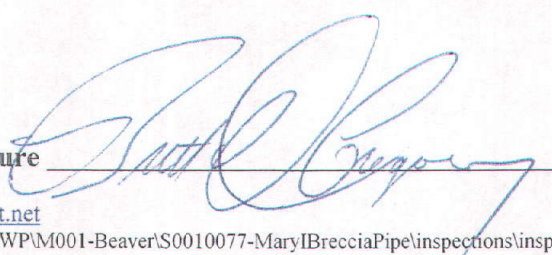
The operator has mined into an area that has not been permitted by the Division. It is my recommendation the site be reclaimed and the operator post an interim bond until revegetation success can be achieved.

Inspector's Signature

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